

**FREDERICK COUNTY LIQUOR BOARD**  
***Public Meeting Minutes***  
***Monday, July 12, 2010***

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Those Present: Mr. Robert C. Snyder, Board Member  
Mr. Charles R. Cline, Board Member  
Mrs. Linda B. Thall, Sr. Assistant County Attorney  
Mr. Harold C. DeLauter, Alcoholic Bev. Inspector  
Ms. Kathy L. Vahle, Administrator  
Mrs. Ashley Sklarew, Administrative Specialist IV  
Mrs. Sandra Rees, Administrative Specialist IV

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A Public Meeting was held at 12 E. Church Street, Frederick, Maryland, and was called to order at 8:30 am by Chairman McClellan.

1. **Will's Place** – Ms. Vahle stated that this licensee accidentally faxed the Board an advertisement notice for entertainment. They never requested permission for entertainment. The Board decided to bring the licensee in for a violation hearing.
2. **Guidelines for Violations** – Ms. Vahle stated she will set up guidelines for processing violations. This will include first time violations and no contest letters. Mr. Cline asked that the Inspector's monthly report include the number of violations found during the month. Mr. Snyder stated that he wanted Ms. Vahle to schedule the Violation Hearings as soon as possible because some were 5 months old. Mr. Cline is opposed to the guidelines for violations he would like all violations to come before the Board.
3. **Sky Blue Bar & Grill** – Mr. Cline asked Ms. Thall what could be done regarding this licensee's new manager, Sam Schroeder. He was a former licensee for Josephine's and had multiple violations at that establishment. Ms. Thall stated that the Board's options are limited because he is not a licensee. The Liquor Inspector will keep an eye out for any violations at this establishment.
4. **Violation Hearings** – Ms. Vahle will set up violation hearings for Magoo's Pub & Eatery, Will's Place Restaurant & Lounge, Blue Sky Bar & Grill, Pretzel & Pizza Creation, Canal Bar & Grill, Café Nola, Courtyard By Marriott, Danielle's Restaurant and Sheetz-Frederick and Mirage Café & Grill.

5. **Hampton Inn** – Mr. Snyder asked what the status was for this establishment. It has until July 26<sup>th</sup> to respond. The Board has not received a response yet.
6. **Warnings** – Ms. Thall asked the Board to what extent did the Board want to delegate authority to staff to give warnings to licensees for first time violations. Ms. Vahle would like to include that in the guidelines and discuss issuing no contest letters. The Liquor Inspector gave an example of a licensee not being open and having a private party with no permission from the Board. The Board prefers to hold a hearing.
7. Decision Required: New License

RE: Richard Jason Donati and  
Carmi Webster Saylor, Jr.  
for the use of  
West Winds Golf, LLC  
t/a West Winds Golf Club  
11330 Country Club Rd.  
New Market, MD 21774

**Class C, On Sale, Beer, Wine and Liquor,  
Country Club**

The Board held a hearing for a new license. Ms. Vahle swore in the applicant (See attached Sign In Sheet). Carmi Saylor was excused from being present due to illness. The pending item was: the Occupancy Permit. Mr. Donati stated they had to redo prints for Permits and there is a day or two turn around time. The Liquor Inspector stated they meet all requirements. Mr. Cline suggested they might want to replace Mr. Saylor if he is very ill because there may be other times when he would have to appear.

**MOTION ONE:** Mr. Cline made a motion for a conditional approval for August 2, 2010.

**SECOND:** Mr. Snyder seconded the motion.

**FURTHER DISCUSSION**

**ON THE MOTION:** There was no further discussion on the motion.

**VOTE:** Mr. Cline – Aye  
Mr. Snyder – Aye

**Aye – 2 Nay – 0**

***(Motion Passed)***

***ADJOURN***

The meeting was adjourned at 9:09 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Vahle, Administrator  
FREDERICK COUNTY LIQUOR BOARD

Prepared by Sandra Rees